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SARA ELIZABETH HARRIS, Local Editor

HAPPENINGS ABOUT TOWN.

For Pains, aches, coughs, colds, etc try Turkeeween Oil, sold by Tydings & Co.

Mr. W. T. Wheeler returned on the early morning train Wednesday from a visit to Tampa.

The best physic; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take; pleasant in effect. For sale by Anti-monopoly Drug Store. m

Mr. John S. Pedrick, formerly of York, has accepted a position with the Northern and Southern Lumber Co., at Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Moody, of Palatka, arrived in Ocala Wednesday afternoon for a short visit with Mr. Moody's mother, Mrs. E. P. Moody.

Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, and will not constipate like nearly all other cough medicines. Refuse substitutes. Postoffice Drug Store. m

Rev. Henry W. Little, rector of Grace Episcopal church, is spending this week with friends at DeLand, where he formerly resided.

Misses Sara and Violet Harris will entertain a few of their young friends this afternoon complimentary to Miss Helen Blair, of Cincinnati, the guest of Miss Emily Ford.

Mr. D. R. Zetrouer, candidate for superintendent of public instruction, is visiting in this city and made this office a pleasant call. He says he is receiving very splendid encouragement in all parts of the county and thinks that he will get a taste of that chicken at the first primary.

Hon. John B. Floyd, of Ocala, a candidate for representative from Marion county, passed through the city yesterday en route to Valdosta, Ga., where he has been called on business for a few days. Mr. Floyd feels confident that he will "win out" on May 10.—Gainesville Sun.

WANTED—Boys to make baskets, at once Ocala Manufacturing Co., Ocala, Fla. 3-184.

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The Chambliss Cattle Sale.

If he had had the making of it Mr. Chambliss could not have selected a more perfect day for his second sale of blooded cattle.

The day was a perfect one. The distance from the city was just far enough to make the drive delightful and the distance, short as it was, showed the stranger something of what Florida really is.

The hills, one rising gently above another, the heavy growth of timber, the rich, black soil, the orange grove in the distance, the place selected for the sale, between sloping grassy hills, under several umbrageous live oaks, the large number that attended, a part of whom were ladies, all conspired to make the sale a memorable one.

The barbecue and burgoo also was a feature that will long be remembered and was a picture as pretty as a May day picnic.

On the grassy slopes, under the grateful shade of the trees, was seated groups who were served with a dinner palatable for any one with an appetite whether dainty or rapacious. The dinner consisted of splendidly barbecued beef, mutton and pork, bread, pickles, cake, pie and burgoo.

Mr. Charley Ball was chief carver and those who served were Judge D. S. Williams, Mr. L. R. Chazall, Mr. Geo. K. Robinson, Mr. Z. C. Chambliss, and Masters Phil Robinson, Charley Chazall, John Chazall, and a number of others.

The dinner was certainly enjoyed, and the opinion was generally expressed that if Mr. Chambliss should at any time decide to go into the hotel business he will secure a reputation for the West Coast of Florida that will dim the lustre Mr. Henry M. Flagler has given the East Coast. Besides the magnificent herd of cattle—bulls and heifers—full blooded and graded—there were on exhibition also a fine variety of pigs that were pretty enough for parlor ornaments.

The exhibitors were Messrs. S. H. Galtskill and W. M. Gist, of McIntosh; Mr. H. H. Whitworth, of Ocala and a number from the Errol Farm of Plymouth, Fla.

Col. Edmondson was the auctioneer and is a superb character in his line and is known from the Pacific to the Atlantic, but if he had never been known his success Wednesday would have made him famous.

Col. Edmondson voiced the sentiment of the bystanders when he said that Mr. Chambliss was building a monument to his memory more enduring and more ennobling than marble, brass or bronze, and it is believed that he is blazing a path that will lead to the making of this section of Florida a veritable Eden.

Why shouldn't it? With the climate, soil and landscape, what's to prevent it? The Ocala Banner is pleased to hail him as a benefactor to Central Florida. The cattle sold Wednesday were the finest ever sold in Florida and the prices were entirely satisfactory.

The following are the names of the purchasers and their places of residence:

H. G. Bystra, Holder; Judge Holcomb, Arcadia; Wm. Edwards, Hickman, Greer & Co., Plymouth; Edwards Bros., H. H. Whitworth, H. L. Anderson, L. P. Miller, Sam A. Rawls, Ocala; James Sims, Emerald; Walter Ray, Leroy; J. C. Mathews, Flemington; Garrett Murphy, Braidentown; H. A. Barrow, Monticello; W. M. Gist, McIntosh; H. L. Brownlee, Starke; J. C. Howell, Anthony; E. L. Wartmann, Citra; R. E. L. Turner, Parrish.

There were in all fifty cows sold. Those who purchased the fine pigs were the following:

Z. C. Chambliss, Mason Tison, S. A. Rawls, Edwards Bros., Ocala; E. L. Howell, Anthony; E. L. Wartmann, Citra; R. W. Storrs, De Funiak.

The Council and Mr. Camp's Proposition.

A special meeting of the council was held Tuesday to report on the proposition made by Col. W. N. Camp to purchase the electric light plant, which proposition was printed in full in these columns at the time.

The committee, consisting of Messrs. H. A. Ford, J. M. Barco, B. A. Weathers and E. C. Smith, to whom the proposition was referred, submitted the following report:

"We consider it inadvisable for the city to part with either the electric light plant or the lighting franchise to private parties.

"Mr. Camp's proposition cannot, in our opinion, be entertained as it is not a proposition to purchase outright, but only to purchase in the event that he succeeds in bringing water power from the Withlacoochee river which he himself seems uncertain of being able to accomplish, as he provides for the city taking the plant off his hands again if unsuccessful in this attempt.

"The undesirability of parting temporarily with the ownership of the plant at this particular time when we are preparing to put it in a thorough state of efficiency seems too evident to need demonstration."

Change in the Northern and Southern Lumber Company.

Mr. E. C. Welsh has purchased the interest of Mr. D. W. McLaury in the Northern & Southern Lumber Co., at Cornell, eight miles south of Ocala.

The members of the firm are now Messrs. M. J. Roess, F. R. Pashley and E. C. Welsh.

Mr. Welsh is from German Valley, N. J., and his father deals extensively in lumber and will be a connection of the Northern & Southern Company.

Mr. Pashley is from Portlandsville, New York, and Mr. Roess from Oil City, Pa. All are young men of excellent business attainments. They are well pleased with Florida and anticipate doing a large business.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaury will leave for their old home in New York state next Saturday and their departure will be very much regretted by their Ocala friends.

How to Ward off an Attack of Rheumatism.

"For years when spring time came on and I went into gardening, I was sure to have an attack of rheumatism and every attack was more severe than the preceding one," says Josie McDonald, of Man, Logan county, West Va. "I tried everything with no relief whatever, until I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and the first application gave me ease and before the first bottle was used I felt like a new person. Now I feel that I am cured, but I always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, and when I feel any symptoms of a return I soon drive it away with one or two applications of this liniment." For sale by Anti-monopoly Drug Store. m

The Studenthelp Fair.

Prof. F. P. Ensminger, of Rollins College, was in Ocala yesterday in the interest of the Studenthelp Fair which will be held in Jacksonville May 30, 31 and June 1, 1904.

There are in all one hundred prizes which aggregate the sum of nearly three hundred dollars. The purpose of the fair is to stimulate essay writing among the pupils of our public schools and reward them for their ability and industry.

The list of subjects cover a large field and the boy and the girl will find no trouble in selecting one with which they are familiar and about which they can say something interesting.

For further particulars apply to Prof. Ensminger, Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla.

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A Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their valuable assistance in saving part of our furniture at the time of the loss of our home on Sunday.

To Chief Bull and his men for heroic efforts to save the small frame house which was finally accomplished.

To the boys in particular who labored like men for hours with a nerve that would have put some grown people to shame. Among those we noticed were Adolph Dame, Harry Cole, Ben Briggs, Valmore Izlar, Edwin Reardon, Frank Harris, Sam Barco and Tom Barnes.

To the good people of Ocala for their expressions of sympathy, kind offers of assistance and shelter.

MR. AND MRS. J. M. MEFFERT.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver, of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only fifty cents. Guaranteed at Tydings & Co. druggists. m

A Good Educator.

We understand that Col. Williams, president of the East Florida Seminary, will sever his connection with that institution at the close of the present term and that Mr. Tom F. McBeath will be an applicant for the position.

Mr. McBeath is one of the most advanced educators in Florida, has the reputation of being a splendid disciplinarian and is in every way qualified to perform the duties of this office and he will keep this Seminary abreast the higher institutions of learning in the state and we hope that the board of trustees will see proper to confer this honor upon him.

Mr. James Sims, an old subscriber of this paper, was a visitor to Ocala Tuesday. He attended the Chambliss cattle sale and purchased several fine animals. Mr. Sims recently purchased the Arms place in the southeastern portion of this county and it is said to be the finest place for a cattle ranch in Florida. It is his purpose to stock it with the finest breeds and to this end he is attending the cattle sale here and will probably be one of the biggest purchasers.

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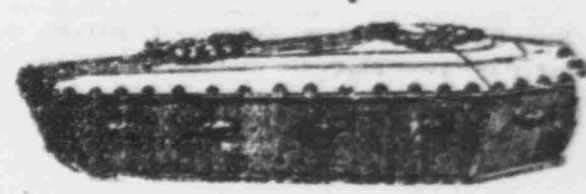
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